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Amended claims of 11 January 2005

- 5 1. Supplement preparation including
- a) a first active component in form of biologically accessible silver, and
- b) a second active component of cartilage,
- and any conventional accessory agents or additives.
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- 10 2. Preparation according to claim 1, characterised in that it includes one or more additional active components.
3. Preparation according to claim 2, characterised in that it includes one or more additional active components selected among antimony pentasulphide, metallic tin
- 15 and/or a tin salt, metallic zinc and/or a zinc salt, a sulphur containing substance and/or a iodine containing substance.
4. Preparation according to claim 3, including hepar sulphuris as a sulphur containing substance.
- 20 5. Preparation according to claim 3, including tare powder as a iodine containing substance.
6. Preparation according to claim 1, characterised in that the first active component
- 25 (a) is a colloidal silver.
7. Preparation according to claim 1, characterised in that the second active component (b) is ground and/or dried cartilage.
- 30 8. Preparation according to claim 1, characterised in that the second active com-

ponent (b) is obtained from a cartilaginous fish, preferably a shark.

9. Preparation according to claim 1, characterised in that the content of cartilage, calculated as dry matter, is 100 - 12,000 parts by weight per 1 part by weight of biologically accessible silver, preferably 200 - 6000 parts by weight per 1 part by weight of biologically accessible silver and most preferably 300 - 3000 parts by weight per 1 part by weight of biologically accessible silver.

10. Preparation according to any one of the preceding claims, characterised in that it contains 0.5 - 50 mg of biologically accessible silver per litre preparation, preferably 1 - 20 mg of silver per litre.

11. Use of (a), a first active component in form of biologically accessible silver, and (b), a second active component of cartilage, and any additional active components and/or conventional accessory agents or additives for the preparation of a health-promoting supplement preparation for livestock.

12. Use according to claim 12 of (a), a first active component in form of biologically accessible silver, and (b), a second active component of cartilage, and any additional active components and/or conventional accessory agent or additives for the preparation of a preparation for the prevention and treatment of plasmacytosis, puppy disease, enteritis virus, three-day sickness and/or "sticky" kits in mink.